

SOCIETY

MARGARET REES, EDITOR

GUESTS FROM CHINA AT ZELLER HOME

Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Zeller of 1526 Marcella avenue had as guests on Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weir and family, who arrived Saturday from Paoting Fu, China, where Mr. Weir has been engaged in Y. M. C. A. work. Mrs. Weir and Mrs. Zeller were friends at college in childhood days, and their visit of Tuesday was the first meeting in fifteen years.

Other guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zeller were Rev. and Mrs. Boyer of Inglewood and Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Butzbach, formerly of China, now residing in Los Angeles. Rev. Butzbach has been supplying the church pastorate here during Rev. Zeller's illness.

MR. AND MRS. PAUL ARE HONOR GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warren entertained at a dinner party on Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Paul, who are leaving shortly for a visit to their home at Sioux City, Ia. Mrs. Warren was assisted by Thelma Reineman.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY DANCE ENJOYED

The St. Patrick's Day dance staged by the American Legion Auxiliary was a successful affair, both socially and financially. The hall was beautifully decorated in keeping with the day. There were many beautiful spring frocks displayed.

Miss Viola McEwing of the escrow department of the First National Bank was awarded the five-dollar gold piece.

Funds from the dance will be used by the auxiliary to help furnish the new Legion clubhouse.

ANNIVERSARY PARTY AT PROCTOR HOME

Dr. Minnie Proctor and Mrs. Nettie Steinhilber entertained on Saturday evening at a delightful party and Dutch supper in honor of the eighteenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Earle of Los Angeles.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stone, Mr. and Mrs. W. Harold Kingsley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steinhilber, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Power, of Torrance; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Risley and Mrs. Ayres, of Los Angeles.

Torrance Shows Santschi and Lewis Battle

Well-Known Movie Fighters Stage 3-Day Battle for Screen

WHAT'S ON AT TORRANCE THEATRE

Friday and Saturday—"A Breath of Scandal," with Betty Blythe, Lou Tellegen, Patsy Ruth Miller, Phyllis Haver, Jack Mulhall, and others. "Dandy Lins," a Christie comedy. Aesop's Fables. International News. (Saturday only, "The Riddle Rider.")

Sunday and Monday—"Frisivolous Sal," with Mae Busch, Eugene O'Brien, Tom Santschi, Ben Alexander, Mitchell Lewis, Mildred Harris, Felix the Cat. International News.

Following the Saturday showing of Preferred Pictures' special production of "A Breath of Scandal," which features Betty Blythe, Lou Tellegen, Jack Mulhall, Patsy Ruth Miller, Phyllis Haver and others, the Torrance theatre will show, on Sunday and Monday, the first National feature, "Frisivolous Sal," a story of the west in the making.

"A Breath of Scandal" is a Schulberg production, directed by Gasnier, the maker of "Kismet." The story is taken from Edward Balmer's Cosmopolitan Magazine novel, the tale of a neglectful mother, a philandering father, an impetuous daughter, and a hapless woman—waded by the breath of scandal, the diverting truth about one of society's greatest evils. As is the case with all the Schulberg pictures, "A Breath of Scandal" boasts a truly all-star cast.

"Frisivolous Sal," which shows on the Torrance screen Sunday and Monday, is a Victor Schertzinger "special." It is a story of the open west, the country where strong men fight for a woman's love, where there is adventure and romance and drama. Motion pictures are getting better and better, and the public is clamoring for outdoor stories. "Frisivolous Sal" is one such, cloaked in the scenic beauties of the west, with the sturdy fighting spirit of the great places behind it, romance and adventure of young blood in it. Mae Busch, Eugene O'Brien, Ben Alexander, Mildred Harris, Tom Santschi, Mitchell Lewis, are some of the featured players.

Completing the program are Felix the Cat and International News, covered at Inglewood. And we always thought the folks of our neighboring city was pretty progressive.

Snoopy Kate writes in to say that when the phone rings once she hustles to answer it because one ring is her call but when it rings twice she fairly leaps to the receiver because that's the neighbor's call. Which is human, natural, only when she goes on to tell Ras what a swell colyum he is putting out why we know she is passing the old appesauce and we ain't gonna print it.

Kate, you see, heard that there wasn't gonna be no more Toward Talk colyum and I know where she heard it because Floyd Parker was kinda kicking about being razzed so much that Ras says well I guess I better quit getting out this colyum and so Floyd he tells Snoopy Kate that it ain't gonna pain no more and she writes in with all that appesauce. Say Kate—about the only fun I get out of this living-making job (?) is this here colyum and even when it is punk which it is frequent, why it's fun trying to make it funnier and if a poor editor ain't entitled to no fun, why we better cut out newspapers and stick to handbills that has got nothing but ads. in 'em and don't have to pay no \$200 dollars per wk. to keep a news dept. operating, and having news set up and printed. Don't you believe everything Floyd tells you Kate.

A headline in the revered L. A. Examiner says Old Fossils Dis-

Goes to Explore Ocean Graveyard



Dr. William Beebe, internationally-famous naturalist and explorer, is now on his way to study "the graveyard of the Atlantic," the Sargasso sea, which is continually changing its position between Cuba and the Verde Islands.

"When you hear the steam-boat whistle Your paper is at the door."

Famous Plays To Be Put On By The Hart Players

'The Great Divide' and 'Charlie's Aunt' Are Scheduled to Show

Beyond a doubt "Sick Abed," as presented by the Hart Players is one of the most talked-of plays that was ever presented by this well known company. It is an up-to-the-minute farce comedy that will keep you laughing till you are all laughed out. The Hart brothers make it their aim to present before the public only first class productions, plays that are interesting as well as enjoyable. Next week they are presenting "The Great Divide," a marvelous play of the west. Coming in the near future, "Charlie's Aunt" will be presented. Both of these plays have recently been released for pictures.

Mrs. William Handel of Arlington avenue, who has been quite sick, is now visiting her sister, Mrs. Bridgion, in Huntington Park.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hopkins and son Fred, of Engracia avenue, accompanied by Mrs. Ruth Hopkins of Oakland, R. I., attended the Mission Play at San Gabriel Sunday.

Miss Geraldine Rader of Los Angeles spent the weekend with Miss Rosalind Paige of Arlington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gilbert Jr. of Cota avenue entertained Mrs. Ruth Hopkins of Oakland, R. I., and Mrs. George Hopkins and Fred Hopkins of Engracia avenue, following a trip to Long Beach Saturday evening.

Mission Theatre Long Beach

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The Charles King Players with DUDEY and ROSE AYRES and LUDEWIG

John Golden's Latest and Greatest Laughing Success

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Positively the Funniest Farce Comedy of the Season

Coming Sun., Mar. 22 "Chicken Feed"

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"SICK-A-BED"

"IF THERE EVER WAS A FUNNY PLAY—THIS IS IT"

Seats 50c and 35c. Mat. Sund. Phone Compton 1782 or Long Beach 232-491 Pictures 6:45 Show 8:00

Next Week The Great American Drama "THE GREAT DIVIDE"

TOWNE ALKE

"Just for Fun"

By RAS BERRY

Some time ago Sam Levy went to the expense of building a dandy gal-iron garage in back of the store to keep the galloping Hudson in. And then a slick bozo come around with a petition and Sam signs up for alley paving. Well, they have finished excavating for the alleys and now Sam's garage is standing high and dry above the alley levels like a bird house on a post or a lighthouse on a cliff. In this predicament Sam is receiving plenty of good advice about what he should ought to do. Some says the only car that could enter that garage from the alley level is a Ford and that he had better sell the Hudson and purchase himself a leaping tuna. There is others that says no flivver could bounce that high and that the only answer is for him to buy a aeroplane to get into the garage with and a glider to carry himself to the store with

after he parks the plane. Sam says he ain't no Al Gilhousen.

Tread Treadwell says them pullets of his is Rhode Island Reds and that they each and every one lays every day, but Ras says you gotta show me because I don't see no egg on your vest.

The synonym for Rhode Island Reds is Providence Socialists.

It's getting so every time you turn around why somebody sells you a ticket and if you went to all the places you buy tickets for you would see your family every Christmas and if you kept track of all the jack you spent in a year for benefit affairs why when you come to make out your income tax Uncle Sam would owe you money.

The big papers have a dandy time kidding the little sheets of the provinces about funny mistakes they make but Will Hays sends me a clipping from the N. Y. World (see Observations) and in it it says that Will has arrived in New York "fresh from the movie studios of Hollywood." I suppose it's pretty near impossible to arrive from them studios in any other condition.

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Daley's CHAIN STORE GROCERS

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At Daley's you are not shooting square with your pocketbook. NO FOOLIN'!

Radishes 4 Bunches 10c
Onions
Mustard Greens
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All other bunch goods including: CARROTS, BEETS, TURNIPS and ENDIVES

3 Bunches for 10c

Newton Pippins... 5c lb. Good, Juicy Lemons 10c Doz.
Delicious Eating Apples 3 lbs., 25c Bananas, 3 lbs., 25c

Seedless Grapefruit, 3 for 10c

Iced Lettuce, 2 for... 5c Egyptian Dates... 10c lb.

Cabbage, firm new green heads, 2 lbs., 5c

Artichokes, 5c each New Potatoes, 3 lbs., 25c
Squash, lb., 25c Fancy Idaho Russets and Idaho Kings
Asparagus, lb., 20c
Fancy Green Peas, 10c pound 12 lbs., 25c
Burbanks, 8 lbs., 25c

Building Permits

1027 oCta avenue, addition to dwelling, \$300, B. M. Denny.
2065 Lincoln avenue, three-room dwelling and garage, \$1290, M. W. Kain.
1830 Martina avenue addition to dwelling, \$300, C. W. Boynton, Contractor, O. D. Boehm.

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TORRANCE THEATRE

GRACE BURGH At the Robert Morris Pipe Organ

FRIDAY-SATURDAY BETTY BLYTHE-LOU TELLEGEN Patsy Ruth Miller, Forrest Stanley, Phyllis Haver, Jack Mulhall, Chas. Clary, Myrtle Stedman, Frank Leigh in

"BREATH of SCANDAL"

Her husband—shot down in another woman's apartment! Why had he gone outside his home for love? Was he to blame, or had she failed as a wife?

Christie Comedy—International News—Aesop's Fables

SUNDAY—MONDAY

A Truly Great Story of the Great Outdoors "FRIVOLOUS SAL"

With Mae Busch, Eugene O'Brien, Ben Alexander, Tom Santschi, Mitchell Lewis, Mildred Harris

Some gal was Frivolous Sal—she fought . . . for the man she loved—the story of a dance hall queen in a Western mining town, a woman as sweet and tender in her love as she was a raging tigress in her hate.

FELIX the Cat INTERNATIONAL NEWS

LOMITA THEATRE

LAST TIMES TONIGHT MRS. WALLACE REID in "BROKEN LAWS" And "Happy" Hadley Trio—Instrumentalists

SATURDAY

JACKIE COOGAN The Kid Himself in The Rag Man A Picture You'll Love. Other Features

SUNDAY

3 ACTS VAUDEVILLE 3 ACTS

de Wilson WORLD'S MOST AMAZING STUNT FLYER "THE AIR HAWK"

MONDAY—TUESDAY Rupert Hughes' "EXCUSE ME"

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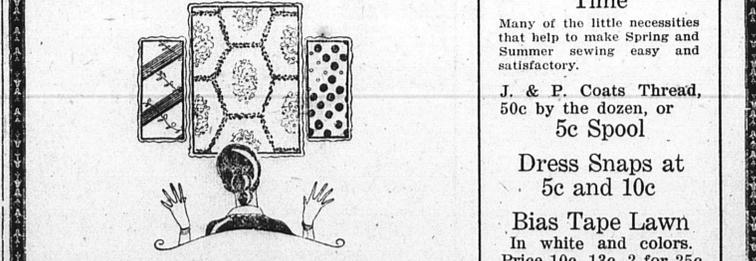
Spring Sewing Week

Spring Days are sewing days for the sew-at-home; time to prepare Spring and Summer wardrobes and here one will find all of the new fabrics in a great, gorgeous display of rich weaves and colorings. For this week we offer several special values in the piece goods section as a special attraction for Spring Sewing week.

Spring Wash Fabrics

....in.... Dainty Patterns

Good quality fabrics that wash well are most desirable for Spring and Summer days, when frequent washing is necessary—here one will find the new season's choicest patterns and colorings in washable weaves for street and house frocks, children's dresses, misses' wear, etc. Printed and woven patterns in crepes, voiles and linens.



36 in. Printed Silk 89c and Cotton Crepe . Priced at 89c

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J. & P. Coats Thread, 50c by the dozen, or 5c Spool

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Bias Tape Lawn In white and colors. Price 10c, 13c, 2 for 25c and 15c

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